

CARTHAGE MUNICIPAL COURT COVID-19 NOTICE

Per the Supreme Court of Missouri Order, dated May 4, 2020 and effective May 16, 2020 and the Jasper County Circuit Court Administrative Order 2020-11, the following persons shall not enter the Carthage Municipal Court located at Memorial Hall, 401 S Garrison, Carthage, Missouri:

- Persons who have traveled to any foreign country within the last 14 days;
- Persons who reside or have had close contact with someone who has traveled to any foreign country within the last 14 days;
- Persons who have been asked to self-quarantine by any doctor, hospital or health agency;
- Persons who have tested positive, been diagnosed with, or have had contact with, anyone who has been diagnosed with COVID-19; and
- Persons with fevers, or unexplained coughs or shortness of breath.

Anyone attempting to enter in violation of these protocols will be denied entry by Court Security.

Members of the public who are not involved in a court proceeding will not be allowed to accompany court litigants to their proceedings and will remain outside of the Court Building.

The use of masks or face coverings by attorneys, parties, witnesses, or victims is required. All court personnel are to use masks or face coverings upon leaving their individual office space and entering public areas. Those who do not have a mask will be provided a mask.

If you are a vulnerable individual, you may contact the Carthage Municipal Court at 417-237-7000 to have your case/s continued or postponed to a later date. Vulnerable individuals are defined by the CDC as individuals 65 years or older or individuals with underlying medical conditions, particularly if not well controlled, including those who suffer from chronic lung disease, moderate to severe asthma, serious heart conditions, immune disorders, obesity, diabetes, or chronic kidney or liver disease.

You can check the status of your case on Case.net, by calling 417-237-7000, or by email at j.baugh@carthagemo.gov.



Peter Lasley
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Carthage Municipal Court